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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of October 21, 2005, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on January 23, 2006 (January 21, 2006, falling on a Saturday), Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of each of the outstanding rejections set forth in the above-mentioned Official Action together with consideration and allowance of all the claims pending herein, in due course.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 10 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.

Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance begin on page 14 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including the replacement drawings is attached following page 14 of this paper.